

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 August 3 2015 to 1800 August 3 2015



Inmate firefighters monitor a burn operation to head off the Rocky Fire on 08/02/15

Photo Credit: Matthew Henderson the Reporter, Vacaville

Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

SOC Activation for California Wildfires

- The State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level 3 from 0500-2100 hours today due to the wildfires burning throughout California.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at Level 2.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 1.

Train Derailment, Bloomington, San Bernardino County – Hazardous Material Spill Report # 15-4485

On 08/03/15 at 1629 hours, Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) advised two locomotives and one railcar derailed upright at the Colton Rail Yard in Bloomington, San Bernardino County, due to unknown causes. There were no injuries, no hazardous material releases, and no mainline closures associated with this incident. Notifications were made per CSWC SOP.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought
- Yuba County Drought Continuance Resolution received dated 07/21/15

Weather of Concern

- Fire Weather is still a concern for mainly northern California as scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms continue through Friday.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

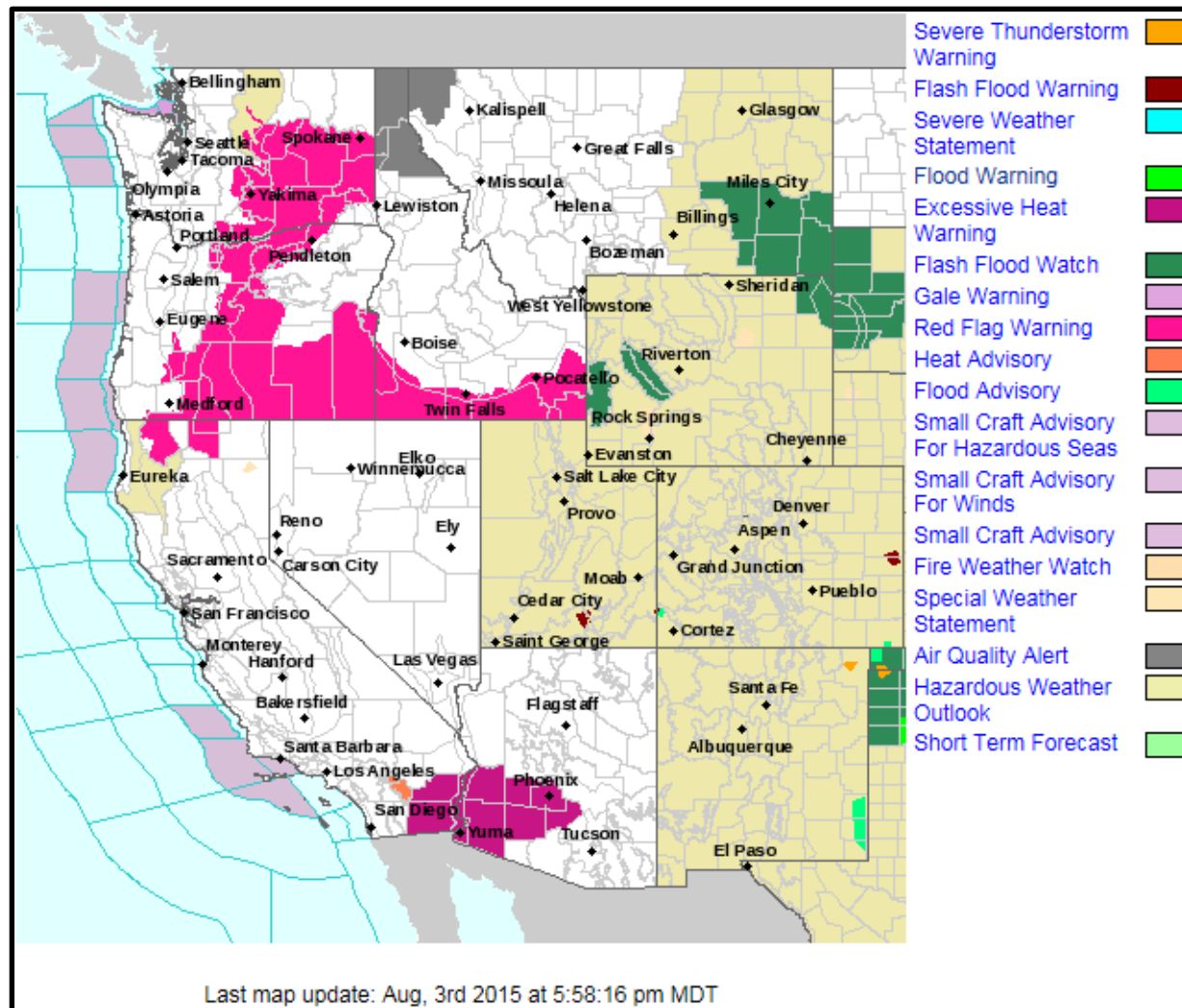
Northern Region

Thunderstorms produced around 500 lightning strikes in the North Ops area over the past 24 hours (ending early Monday), primarily in northern and eastern areas. Isolated thunderstorms are possible in northwestern and northern areas this afternoon and evening, but the majority of the region will see near normal temperatures, more sunshine and slightly higher SW to W winds. These conditions may cause any holdover ignitions to become more active and begin to spread. A weak disturbance within the SW flow will reach the coast late on Tuesday and produce scattered thunderstorms in northwestern and northern areas. These storms will be on the dry side so High Risk has been issued for dry lightning for these areas on Tuesday. Wednesday and early Thursday will be dry and warmer with light winds, but another stronger low will approach the area late Thursday with unstable conditions and an increasing southerly flow. Isolated to scattered dry thunderstorms are possible late Thursday into midday Friday. These storms will begin over the southern mountains and spread northward, reaching northeastern areas by early Friday. Moisture will increase by late Friday and storms will begin to produce more rainfall Friday evening through Saturday. The High Risk period for new ignitions from dry strikes covers late Thursday afternoon through Friday afternoon.

Southern Region

Temperatures will remain near normal today as Central and Southern California are situated between weak low pressure off the Northern California Coast and weak high pressure over the Desert Southwest. Maximum temperatures will be in the mid 70s to mid 80s across the mountains with upper 80s and 90s in the valleys today. High pressure over the Desert Southwest will strengthen bringing a couple degrees of warming to most of the region both Tuesday and Wednesday. High pressure will shift east as a weak area of low pressure approaches and moves inland across Central California which will bring a cooling trend Thursday through Saturday. This low pressure area will also bring westerly winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph to the desert passes Thursday afternoon through Saturday evening. Isolated afternoon thunderstorms may become possible over the Central Sierra Crest as well as the Eastern Sierra Thursday and Friday. The marine layer will deepen Friday and Saturday, with morning low clouds and fog moving over most coastal valley locations. Temperatures will gradually warm starting Sunday as high pressure over Texas starts expanding westward. Minimum humidity will be mainly between 12% and 25% above and inland from the marine layer through this weekend.

STATE WEATHER MAP



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SITUATION SUMMARY

NOTE: Detailed Fire Information will be reported in a Cal OES/Cal Fire Joint Report daily at 0930 hours and 2000 hours

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Active

- Fork Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Frog, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County
- Humboldt LCA, Vegetation Fire, Humboldt County
- Lowell, Vegetation Fire, Nevada County
- Mad River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Rocky, Vegetation Fire, Lake County
- Swedes, Vegetation Fire, Butte County
- Wragg, Vegetation Fire, Napa and Solano and Yolo Counties

New

- Point, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County
 - 50 acres, 0% contained
 - Forward rate of spread stopped

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Active

- Big Creek, Vegetation Fire, Tuolumne County
- Cabin, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County
- Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County
- Willow, Vegetation Fire, Madera County

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 2

Northern California

Preparedness Level 5, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 3

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance provided an initial 1,000 copies of the 2015 Drought Brochure to DWR for distribution at the State Fair beginning Friday, July 10, 2015. DWR requested an additional 1,000 copies of the brochure. This subsequent order was completed and delivered on July 21, 2015.
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

Cal OES Recovery

Cal OES Recovery - Individual Assistance

San Diego County

- As a result of flooding that began July 19, 2015, in San Diego County, a joint Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) with the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), Cal OES Individual Assistance, and the County of San Diego OES began on Tuesday, July 28, 2015. In addition, the County opened a Local Assistance Center on at the Ramona Library, 1275 Main Street, Ramona, CA 92065, Tuesday, July 28, 2015, through Wednesday, July 29, 2015, 9:30 a.m. -8:00 p.m. and Thursday, July 30, 2015, through Saturday, August 1, 2015, 9:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

CAL OES MISSIONS

New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14690 08/03/15, 1707 hours:** Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) advised of an Alert Notification (ALNOT) of a missing aircraft. This was reported by Oakland Air Traffic Control Center. Tail number is N9466Q, which is a Beach Baron #58 and it is a two engine aircraft. Ramp checks are in progress at Oakland and nearby airports. The aircraft's destination was Truckee - TRK with an unknown arrival time. No departure time due to no flight plan being filed. Last known location was at Latitude 39 18 N, Longitude 120 30 W, near the Placer and Nevada County border. Positive ELTs from airborne aircraft in the area in the last known location of the missing aircraft. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources and a Civil Air Patrol (CAP) Incident Commander (IC) has been activated.

CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14555 07/31/15, 2046 hours:** Trinity County S.O. is requesting 10-15 marked patrol units with sworn personnel, to accompany their sworn personnel, to assist in effecting evacuations, patrolling closed area's, enforcing road blocks, etc. in current fire area's in their county. The mutual aid is to report to Trinity S.O. in Weaverville on Saturday, Aug 1, at 1000 hrs. This is for one (1) Operational Period only. Shasta S.O., as the Region III Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Coordinator (RMAC), was tasked with filling this request from within Region III. The LDO will assist them further if the request cannot be filled in-region. Trinity S.O. also requested a portable fuel truck capable of filling patrol vehicles. With no suitable resource available in Region III, LDO contacted A/C Smithson who coordinated with Fresno S.O. for use of their fuel truck but it was not available. At 2251 hrs. Shasta S.O. advised that Trinity S.O. would contact a local gas company for a fuel delivery. They also confirmed the mutual aid request for patrol vehicles and personnel was partially filled as follows: Glenn County S.O. (3), Willows PD (1), Willits PD (1). Tehama (1), Shasta S.O. (1). 2302 hrs., LDO contacted Alameda County S.O. as the Region III Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) Coordinator for assistance in filling the balance of Trinity's request. Due to the late hour and logistical issues with a long range deployment, I asked Alameda SO to contact only Humboldt S.O. for their assistance. Humboldt S.O. advised due to fires in their county they would be unable to assist. LDO will contact Trinity this morning (8/1) to discuss the request. Update: 08/01/15, 0940 hours, Trinity S.O. has made an additional request for 10-15 marked patrol units for Operational Periods on Sunday and Monday. LDO is working with D/C Tassone to contact the Region IV RMAC for resources to assist in effecting evacuations, patrolling closed area's, enforcing road blocks, etc. in current fire area's in their county. Reporting time for all mutual aid will be Sunday morning at 0900 hours at the Sheriff's Office in Weaverville. Due to logistical issues the following deployment schedule has been agreed to: The Sacramento Sheriff's Dept. will send 4 personnel and Folsom PD will send 3 personnel to begin work on Sunday, 8/2, and work additional operational periods on Monday and Tuesday. Citrus Heights PD (3), Stanislaus SO (5) and Sacramento PD (3) will send their personnel up to begin work on Monday, 8/3 and work an additional operational period on Tuesday. This is a total of 18 sworn personnel to assist Trinity SO over the next 3 days. Update: 08/01/15, 1400 hours, Trinity S.O. advised they are having communications issues; agencies do not have tactical frequencies that they are running teams on and are in need of 30 handheld radio's for Sunday. LDO contacted the TDO who coordinated the delivery of 4 caches (14 per cache) of radio's with clamshells. **Update: 08/03/15, 0800 hours,** [Trinity County Sheriff's Department is requesting Mutual aid of an additional 20 officer's through Friday, 08/7/15. Assistant Chief John Sutton is assigned to this incident and will coordinate with Region II RMAC in obtaining the requested resources.](#) **Mission Ongoing**

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- **2015-LAW-14579 08/02/15 0502 hours:** Kern County Sheriff requested assistance in the search for a homicide suspect. Kern County personnel, who have been searching a remote location in the Jawbone Canyon area of Eastern Kern County since Thursday, requested an aircraft to conduct night time infrared searches of the area. The California National Guard accepted the mission. During the search the Kern Sheriff's SWAT team was fired on by the suspect. Two officers were hit, one minor and one serious. The SWAT Officers returned fire but it is not known if the suspect was hit. Kern requested a significant in county mutual aid response. LA County Sheriff provided a helicopter for nighttime searches and have committed a helicopter for searches today. A Law Branch Assistant Chief is deployed to the Kern Sheriff DOC in support of this mission. **Update: 08/03/15** Kern County continued searches for this suspect using significant in county mutual aid. Assistance from LA Sheriff included a SWAT contingent and several helicopters. Orange County Sheriff assisted with the loan of specialized equipment. Searching will continue. A MIGU was requested and has arrived on site. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2013-LAW-1563 07/23/15 1225 hours:** Plumas County Sheriffs Office (PCSO) has requested Human Remains Detection K9 to search a specific site regarding a 30 year old cold case. LDO contacted K9 Coordinator who is currently securing K9 handlers from a team located out of Santa Clara County. PCSO has asked for two separate search dates to confirm any potential findings. Timeline for search efforts: August 1 - 6, 2015, Cal OES is currently working on securing these resources.

CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-14648 08/02/15, 1600 hours:** Trinity County Sheriff Department (TCSD) is requesting resources to locate a missing 24 year old male day hiker. M/P has been missing since Wednesday, 07/29/15 at 1500 hrs. M/P was not reported missing to TCSD until 8/2/15 at 1500 hrs. TCSD is requesting 20 Type I & II ground searchers and one overhead team. **Update: 08/03/15, 0030 hours, TCSD through Napa County Sheriff's Department advised that m/p was located alive and well. All resources cancelled. Mission Closed**
- **2015-LAW-14276 07/24/15 1710 hours:** El Dorado County Sheriff's Office has requested 20 motorcycle and 20 quad ATV searcher resources to assist in the search of a missing person. UPDATE: EDSO requested assistance from AFRCC to assist with cell phone forensics, AFRCC accepted mission and assisted. EDSO requested California National Guard to assist with night vision and FLIR capabilities. CNG accepted the mission and flew the mission on Saturday night with negative results. More ground searchers and motorcycle searchers were requested for Sunday. LDO re-contacted all existing SAR units as well as neighboring counties. Sacramento, Shasta, Tehama and Marin Counties will assist. UPDATE: 7/27/15 at 1045 hours, EDSO is requesting CNG today to assist in the search, CNG accepted the mission and is staffing up for the mission. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources. UPDATE: 7/28/15 would be continued, mutual aid resources were being released. El Dorado would be using their county resources to continue with today's missions. UPDATE: 7/29/15 1000 hours, confirmed resources for Thursday's mission: K9s (9-10), Bay Area Mtn. Rescue (9) SAR, Placer County (18) SAR, Contra Costa (2) SAR, Santa Clara County (3), Stanislaus County (5). UPDATE: 7/31/15, All out of county resources were released after searching on Thursday, 7/30/15. El Dorado S.O. will maintain a continuing, limited search with in county resources. **Mission Closed**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.